



CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP
Water/Sewer Rate Study
Friday, July 8, 2011

Mayor Mike Cassinelli opened the meeting at 4 pm. Council members Gary Forner, David Jensen, Fred Marshall, Don Berger and Butch Smith; Treasurer Elaine McMillan and Eric Martozke from Eagles Nest were present. The mayor explained that there was a request at the previous meeting to provide some rate tables for consideration. The treasurer reviewed the various table examples and water consumption based examples. Council man Marshall reminded the council that they started the process by Skip Rand encouraging them to be fair and equitable. After discussing the various options, it was determined that the consumption based calculator with a base charge of \$37 and flow charge of \$7.25 per 100 cubic feet along with the similar rate table would be considered. It was also noted that the students needed to be obtained for the Grays Harbor College, there may be a need to audit the hospital, and interest in radio read flow meters. A meeting was to be set with the large users to explain to them the potential changes. Additionally, it was determined a flow meter rate would be considered an option for commercial users. The meeting adjourned at 5:35.

Mike Cassinelli, Mayor

Elaine McMillan, Treasurer